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To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Stephen Clinton and I am the President of the Island Democratic Civic Committee in Staten Island, NY.

I am writing to file an official complaint with the Federal Election Commission.

Michael Grimm, a candidate for election to the New York 13<sup>th</sup> Congressional seat (www.grimmforcongress.com), is in direct violation of the section of election law/regulation that covers the requirements candidates must follow about disclosures on their campaign signs, literature, etc.

This complaint specifically refers to the section of the statute which says "...such communication...shall clearly state that the communication has been paid for by such authorized political committee..." as well as subsequent related paragraphs in § 441d.

I have enclosed photographic evidence of Mr. Grimm's lawn signs that are clearly absent the "paid for by" designation and thus in violation of the above referenced statute. I look forward to your expeditious review of this matter.

Sincerely,



Stephen Clinton

Staten Island, NY 10308

On the date <sup>July 14, 2010</sup> above indicated before me personally came Mr. Stephen Clinton, who signed same in my presence and who, being by me duly sworn, said that the foregoing statement made and subscribed by him was true.



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